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SUBJECT:RESPONSE TO FOURTH OF JULY MESSAGE TO THE PRESIDENT  
FROM KING HUSSEIN

1. FYI: FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF CONGRATULATORY MESSAGE TO  
PRESIDENT FROM KING HUSSEIN: "I WISH TO EXTEND TO YOUR  
EXCELLENCY AND TO THE GREAT AMERICAN PEOPLE IN MY NAME AND  
ON BEHALF OF ALL JORDANIANS OUR WARMEST CONGRATULATIONS ON  
THE OCCASION OF AMERICA'S 200TH INDEPENDENCE DAY ANNIVERSARY.  
I AM FIRMLY CONVINCED THAT YOUR EXCELLENCY'S WISDOM, COUR-  
AGE, AND DEDICATION TO THE CAUSE OF PEACE WILL CONTRIBUTE  
SIGNIFICANTLY IN BRINGING A JUST AND LASTING PEACE IN THE  
WORLD. I WISH YOU MR. PRESIDENT GREAT SUCCESS AND EVER-  
LASTING HAPPINESS. HUSSEIN I" END FYI.

2. FOLLOWING RESPONSE FROM PRESIDENT FORD SHOULD BE DE-  
LIVERED TO KING HUSSEIN: "YOUR MAJESTY: ON BEHALF OF THE  
AMERICAN PEOPLE, MRS. FORD AND I THANK YOU FOR YOUR MOST  
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WELCOME MESSAGE OF GOOD WISHES ON THE COMMEMORATION OF THE

200TH ANNIVERSARY OF OUR NATION'S INDEPENDENCE.

AS WE ENTER OUR THIRD CENTURY, THE UNITED STATES REDEDICATES  
ITSELF IN WORD AND DEED TO THE PRINCIPLES OF LIBERTY, EQUAL-  
ITY AND INDIVIDUAL DIGNITY. WE DO SO WITH THE ANTICIPATION

AND CONFIDENCE THAT RELATIONS BETWEEN OUR COUNTRIES WILL  
CONTINUE TO FLOURISH. SINCERELY, GERALD R. FORD".

3. NO RELEASE INTENDED, BUT NO OBJECTION IF RECIPIENT  
WISHES TO DO SO. KISSINGER

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